



THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EASTER  
Holy Eucharist, Rite II, Year B  
April 7, 2024, 10AM

## Welcome!

We are happy to worship with you, and honored to have you with us!  
Our liturgy comes from the Book of Common Prayer.  
Everything you will need for this service is contained in this bulletin.

*The altar flowers today are given to the Glory of God  
and in thanksgiving for the baptism of  
Georgia Rose Raynolds  
by Amanda & Paul Raynolds,  
and  
in loving memory of Robert Guempel  
by the Guempel Family.*

*We welcome The Rev. Timothy Mulder as our Guest Presider.*

## ENTRANCE RITE

**PRELUDE**                      “O Sons and Daughters”                      Jeanne Demessieux  
   Henry Marinovic, organ  
   *The people stand.*

**PROCESSIONAL**                      “O Sons and Daughters”                      Hymnal 206  
   (O filii et filiae)

**OPENING ACCLAMATION**                      BCP, p. 355  
*Presider*     Alleluia. Christ is risen  
*People*        **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

**COLLECT FOR PURITY**  
*The Presider prays the Collect, after which all respond Amen.*

**SONG OF PRAISE**                      “Hine ma Tov”                      Allan Naplan  
   Chapel Choir & School Choirs  
*Children, age 4 through grade 5, are invited to join Miss Kathryn for Sunday School  
in Nieman Hall. They will return to the sanctuary at Communion.  
Nursery care is available for children through age 4.*

**THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**                      BCP, p. 224  
*Presider*     The Lord be with you.  
*People*        **And also with you.**  
*The Presider prays the Collect, after which all respond Amen.*

# THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

*The people are seated for the readings.*

## THE FIRST LESSON

Acts 4:32-35

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

## PSALM 133

*Sung by Choir*

Richard Farrant

## THE SECOND LESSON

1 John 1:1-2:2

*Lector* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

*The people stand.*

## SEQUENCE ALLELUIA

*Sung three times*

Taizé

Al-le - lu - ia, al le lu -  
-ia, al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu ia.

## THE HOLY GOSPEL

John 20:19-31

*Gospeller* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

*People*

Glo - ry to you Lord Christ

*Gospeller* The Gospel of the Lord.

*People*

Praise to you Lord Christ

*The people sit.*

SERMON

*The people stand.*

THE NICENE CREED

BCP, p. 358

We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God, begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

he came down from heaven:

by the power of the Holy Spirit

he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again

in accordance with the Scriptures;

he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,

and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.

With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*Leader* Gathered as believers in Christ, made one body through baptism,  
let us offer prayers to God for the Church and the world...

*The Leader offers intercessions on behalf of the congregation; during the silences  
the people may add their own petitions, silently or aloud.*

*Each petition concludes* Lord, hear us.

*People respond* **Lord, graciously hear us.**

*Leader* ...through Jesus Christ, who is glorified for ever and ever." **Amen.**

*The people stand.*

## THE PEACE

*Presider* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*The people greet one another in the name of the Lord.  
Sunday School Children join their families in church at this time.*

## WORDS OF WELCOME

### BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARY PRAYER

*Presider*

We pray together for those celebrating a birthday or an anniversary.

*All* **O God, our times are in your hand:**

**Look with favor, we pray, on your servants  
as they begin another year.**

**Grant that they may grow in wisdom and grace,  
and strengthen their trust in your goodness  
all the days of their lives; through  
Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

# THE HOLY COMMUNION

OFFERTORY

“We Walk by Faith”  
*Adult Choir, School Choir II*

Dunlap’s Creek  
arr. B. Legett



Please feel free to make your offering in thanksgiving to God using the electronic giving options at [www.gracemadison.org/giving](http://www.gracemadison.org/giving).

*The people stand.*

PRESENTATION HYMN

“Welcome Happy Morning”  
(*Fortunatus*)

Hymnal 179  
Verses 1 & 2

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING, Eucharistic Prayer B

Hymnal S-120  
BCP, p. 367

*Celebrant*                                  *People*  
The Lord be with you.      And al - so with you.

*Celebrant*                                  *People*  
Lift up your hearts.      We lift them to the Lord.

*Celebrant*  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People*  
It is right to give God thanks and praise.

*Presider*      It is right and a good and joyful thing...  
                  ... who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

SANCTUS & BENEDICTUS

(*Mathias*)

Hymnal S-128

Ho - ly, ho - ly,  
 ho - ly Lord, God of power and might,  
 heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the  
 high - est. Bless - ed is he who  
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

*The people remain standing.*

*Presider*

We give thanks to you, O God...  
 ...Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

*Presider and People*

**We remember his death,  
 We proclaim his resurrection,  
 We await his coming in glory;**

*Presider*

And we offer our sacrifices of praise and thanksgiving to you...  
 ... all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

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# THE LORD'S PRAYER

BCP, p. 364

*Presider*

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

*All* Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.

# THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

*A period of silence is kept.*

The musical score is written in G major and 4/4 time. It consists of two staves. The first staff is for the Celebrant, with the lyrics "Al - le - lu - ia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us". The second staff is for the People, with the lyrics "There fore let us keep the feast. Al - le - lu - ia". The "All" section of the second staff is circled. The score is titled "Christ our Passover" and "People".



FRACTION ANTHEM

Hymnal S-167

The dis - ci - ples knew the Lord Je - sus in the break - ing of the bread.

*Cantor*

1. The bread which we break, al - le - lu - ia,  
is the com - mun - ion of the bo - dy of Christ. [Ant.]

*Cantor*

2. One bo - dy are we, al - le - lu - ia,  
for though man - y we share one bread. [Ant.]

*Presider* The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All baptized persons are invited to receive Communion. Our custom is to receive the bread on extended hands and to help guide the chalice to the mouth by touching its base.

***Intinction— dipping the wafer in the wine—is not practiced.***

To receive a blessing instead of the sacrament, cross your arms over your chest.  
If you need to have Communion brought to you at your seat, please inform an usher.  
Gluten-free bread is available upon request.

COMMUNION MUSIC

“Puer nobis”  
organ

J. P. Dandrieu

“This Joyful Eastertide”  
(Vreuchten)

Hymnal 192

*The people stand.*

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

BCP, p. 365

*Presider* Let us pray.

*Presider and People*

**Eternal God, heavenly Father,  
you have graciously accepted us as living members  
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,  
and you have fed us with spiritual food  
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.  
Send us now into the world in peace,  
and grant us strength and courage  
to love and serve you  
with gladness and singleness of heart;  
through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**

THE BLESSING

*The Presider invokes God's blessing upon all, to which the people respond Amen.*

RECESSIONAL HYMN

“That Easter Day with  
Joy was Bright”  
*(Puer nobis)*

Hymnal 193

DISMISSAL

*The people are dismissed in the name of Christ.*

*Response* **Thanks be to God! Alleluia, alleluia.**

POSTLUDE

“O Sons and Daughters”  
*Henry Marinovic, organ*

Jeanne Demessieux

## Grace Calendar Highlights

See [www.gracemadison.org](http://www.gracemadison.org) for more details.

*Food for Friends donations of non-perishables can be dropped in the basket in the Narthex or in Nieman Annex.*

**Harp & Meditation**, Monday, April 8, noon

An hour of contemplative harp music and silence. Merynda Adams & Paula Roper. *Freewill donation at door.*

**Men's Gathering**, Tuesday, April 9, 7PM, *Grace Library.*

**Eastertide Evensong**,

Saturday, April 13, 5PM, Sanctuary, *In-Person & Livestream*

Music of Jessica French, Richard Webster and more. Reception following.

**Women's Book Group**, Monday, April 15, 7PM, *Grace Library*

This month's section is *Bridget Jones's Diary* by Helen Fielding.

**The Crafters**, Tuesday, April 16, 7PM, *Grace Library*

Come create something – knit, crochet, stitch, whatever you like!

**Men's Book Group**, Tuesday, April 16, 7:30PM, *Member's homes*

We will discuss *Prequel* by Rachel Maddow

**Circle of Women**, Tuesday, April 23, 7PM, *Grace Library*

The women of Grace invite you to gather with them.

Harmonium Chamber Singers presents **To Everything There is a Season**

April 27, 7:30PM, Calvary Church Summit

April 28, 3PM, Grace Madison

A journey through the seasons and stages of life with *a cappella* selections from Renaissance to today. [www.harmonium.org](http://www.harmonium.org)

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### Clergy

The Rev. Susan R. Ironside, *Rector*

The Rev. Robert T. Griner, *Associate*

### Worship Services

*Holy Eucharist Services*

Sunday 8AM & 10AM

*Morning Prayer*

Wednesday 8:30AM Zoom

Saturday 8:30AM Zoom

### Staff

Dr. Anne Matlack, *Organist & Director of Choirs*

Camille Bourland, *Children's Choirs*

Linda Bowden, *Chapel Choir*

Matthew North, *The Gargoyles Director*

William Marinovic, *Meredith McKeever,*

Henri Wielandy *Head Choristers*

Henry Marinovic, *Organ Scholar*

Kathryn McManus, *Children's Ministries*

Mary McManus, *Youth Ministries*

Jessica Kayembe, *Seminarian*

Geoff Brooks, *Senior Verger*

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Peter Munter & Lucy Waterstredt, *Head Acolytes*

Michael Kostial, *Parish Administrator*

Susie Harris, *Communications*

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